

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present U.S. Patent application. Claims 7-19 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102. Claims 7-9, 13, 14 and 17-19 have been amended. Claims 10-12, 15 and 16 have been canceled. Claims 20-24 have been added. Therefore, by this amendment, claims 7-9, 13, 14 and 17-24 are pending.

Claim Rejections - 35 U.S.C. § 102Rejections of Claims 7-19 Based on Bang

Claims 7-19 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102 as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,522,530 issued to Bang (*Bang*). Claims 10-12, 15 and 16 have been canceled. Therefore, the rejections of claims 10-12, 15 and 16 as being anticipated by *Bang* are moot. For at least the reasons set forth below, Applicant submits that claims 7-9, 13, 14 and 17-24 are not anticipated by *Bang*.

Amended claim 7 recites the following:

a display device having a ball and socket joint attached within the enclosure, to tiltably attach a back of the display device within the enclosure and enable viewing of the display device at multiple angles relative to the front face.

Claims 14 and 18 recite similar limitations. A proper rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 102 requires that a single prior art reference teach each and every element of the rejected claim. See MPEP § 2131.

*Bang* discloses a computer system having a monitor capable of being tilted and swiveled with respect to a main body of the computer system yet allow a plurality of viewing angles, wherein the monitor is connected to the main body of the computer

system. See col. 2, lines 5-9. The computer system is a personal computer, and more specifically, either a desktop computer or a notebook computer. See col. 1, lines 36-51. A swiveling member and a tilting member are provided between a monitor and the main body of the computer system. See col. 3, lines 61-63. The swiveling member allows the monitor to be suspended from the main body and swiveled in a horizontal direction, while the tilting member allows the monitor to be tilted in the vertical direction. See col. 3, lines 63-67. The tilting member is attached to the monitor, while the swiveling member is attached to a coupling part that is attached to the main body. See col. 5, lines 11-21; Fig. 2 and Fig. 4. *Bang* does not disclose a ball and socket joint attached within an enclosure. Thus, *Bang* fails to teach at least one element of claims 7, 14 and 18. Consequently, claims 7, 14 and 18 are not anticipated by *Bang* for at least the reasons set forth above. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the Examiner withdraw the rejections of claims 7, 14 and 18 under 35 U.S.C. § 102.

Claims 8, 9 and 13 depend from claim 7. Claims 17, 20 and 21 depend from claim 14. Claims 19 and 22-24 depend from claim 18. Because dependent claims include the limitations of the claims from which they depend, Applicant submits that claims 8, 9, 13, 17 and 19-24 are not anticipated by *Bang* for at least the reasons set forth above.

### CONCLUSION

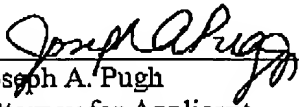
For at least the foregoing reasons, Applicant submits that the rejections have been overcome. Therefore, claims 7-9, 13, 14 and 17-24 are in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly solicited. The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the

undersigned by telephone if such contact would further the examination of the present application.

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Respectfully submitted;  
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